

SENATE BILL 3 ON THIRD READING

Senator Sims moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 7.20 requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S.B. 3 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 30, Nays 0.

Absent-excused: Glasgow.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 30, Nays 0. (Same as previous roll call)

SENATE RESOLUTION ON FIRST READING

By unanimous consent, the following resolution was introduced, read first time and referred to the Committee indicated:

S.R. 53 by Barrientos, Ellis Administration
Expressing intent of the Texas Legislature that S.B. 1, establishing districts for the Texas Senate, be implemented at the earliest possible date that provides for the efficient and proper conduct of the primary elections.

RECESS

On motion of Senator Brooks, the Senate at 4:24 p.m. took recess until 1:00 p.m. tomorrow.

FOURTH DAY

(Continued)

(Wednesday, January 8, 1992)

AFTER RECESS

The Senate met at 1:00 p.m. and was called to order by the President.

SENATE RESOLUTION 88

Senator Moncrief offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, Few events bring such joy into the life of a couple as the birth of a baby; and

WHEREAS, The Honorable Chet Brooks and his wife, Sandy, are doubly blessed with the birth of their second daughter, Kaitlyn Claire, on January 8, 1992; and

WHEREAS, By all accounts a beautiful and charming infant—who has already wrapped her father around her little finger—young Miss Brooks was born at 8:20 a.m., weighing eight pounds, five ounces; and

WHEREAS, Fulfilling her parents wishes, Kaitlyn was born healthy, hearty, and loud; and

WHEREAS, A most fortunate child, Kaitlyn Claire will be lavished with the utmost love and attention, thriving and growing to young womanhood basking in the warmth and security of a happy family; and

WHEREAS, The most excited member of the Brooks household is Anna Rae, soon to be four years old, who looks forward to playing with her new best friend; and

WHEREAS, Kaitlyn Claire Brooks has merited a special affection in the hearts of her family and friends that can only continue to grow in the years ahead; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 72nd Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby extend sincere congratulations to Chet and Sandy Brooks on the birth of Kaitlyn Claire; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the Senate extend fondest wishes to Kaitlyn Claire for a life filled with happiness; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for the Brooks family as an expression of the enduring friendship and affection of the Texas Senate.

The resolution was read.

On motion of Senator Truan and by unanimous consent, the names of the Lieutenant Governor and Senators were added to the resolution as signers thereof.

On motion of Senator Moncrief, the resolution was adopted by a viva voce vote.

CAPITOL PHYSICIAN

Senator Sims was recognized and presented Dr. Ernie Sandidge of McCamey as the "Doctor for the Day."

The Senate welcomed Dr. Sandidge and thanked him for his participation in the "Capitol Physician" program sponsored by the Texas Academy of Family Physicians.

RECESS

On motion of Senator Brooks, the Senate at 1:10 p.m. took recess until 2:15 p.m. today.

AFTER RECESS

The Senate met at 2:15 p.m. and was called to order by Senator Truan.

RECESS

On motion of Senator Carriker, the Senate at 2:16 p.m. took recess until 3:00 p.m. today.

AFTER RECESS

The Senate met at 3:00 p.m. and was called to order by Senator Brooks.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

House Chamber
January 8, 1992

HONORABLE BOB BULLOCK
PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SIR: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following:

H.C.R. 4, Naming the state building at 5717 Balcones Drive the Frank Joseph Cosmetology Building.

H.C.R. 8, Commemorating the quincentennial of Columbus' discovery of the New World.

H.C.R. 18, Directing the Texas Transportation Commission to postpone reorganization of departmental district offices.

S.C.R. 3, Recognizing the City of Deer Park on the occasion of its 100th anniversary.

S.C.R. 4, Recognizing the City of La Porte on its 100th anniversary.

S.C.R. 5, Commending Ben G. Levisse for his record of exemplary work with credit unions.

S.C.R. 7, In memory of George J. Beto, former director of the Texas prison system.

S.C.R. 2, Authorizing Texas Supreme Court Building "B" to be named the Tom C. Clark State Court Building.

Respectfully submitted,

BETTY MURRAY, Chief Clerk
House of Representatives

SENATE BILL ON FIRST READING

By unanimous consent, the following bill was introduced, read first time and referred to the Committee indicated:

S.B. 23 by Green Intergovernmental Relations
Relating to the retirement systems in certain cities with a population of 1,200,000 or more; providing for a credit for military service.

RESOLUTIONS SIGNED

The Presiding Officer announced the signing in the presence of the Senate the following enrolled resolutions:

H.C.R. 2
H.C.R. 3
H.C.R. 5
H.C.R. 6
H.C.R. 9
H.C.R. 11
H.C.R. 12
H.C.R. 14
H.C.R. 15

MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS

S.R. 55 - By Turner: In memory of Sol Klein of Bryan-College Station.

S.R. 56 - By Barrientos: In memory of Mary Marthalena Pryor.

S.R. 58 - By Lucio: In memory of Raul Tijerina of Linn.

S.R. 62 - By Glasgow, Moncrief: In memory of Derek Scott Franklin of Fort Worth.

S.R. 63 - By Moncrief, Glasgow: In memory of Mayor Thomas Martin Holland of River Oaks.

S.R. 64 - By Glasgow: In memory of City Councilman P. O. Byers of Lake Dallas.

S.R. 65 - By Glasgow: In memory of John Allen Cook of Alvarado.

S.R. 67 - By Glasgow: In memory of James L. Hill of Mineral Wells.

S.R. 68 - By Glasgow: In memory of Jack D. "Smiling Jack" Rowan of Mineral Wells.

S.R. 69 - By Glasgow: In memory of Aubrey Conner VanHoy of Eastland.

S.R. 70 - By Glasgow: In memory of John Boyd Harlin of Gordon.

S.R. 71 - By Glasgow: In memory of H. S. "Hub" Lewis of Eastland.

S.R. 72 - By Glasgow: In memory of Carl Simpson of De Leon.

S.R. 73 - By Glasgow: In memory of Leonard Edwin Huckabay of Eastland.

S.R. 74 - By Glasgow: In memory of L. S. Chandler of Stephenville.

S.R. 75 - By Glasgow: In memory of The Reverend Francis Jackson "Jack" Redford.

S.R. 77 - By Glasgow: In memory of Bruce Henry Giessel of Weatherford.

S.R. 78 - By Glasgow: In memory of William Howard Jackson of Keller.

S.R. 79 - By Glasgow: In memory of Dr. Lynn Powell of Granbury.

S.R. 80 - By Glasgow: In memory of Rusty Clark of Mineral Wells.

S.R. 81 - By Glasgow: In memory of Billy Claborn of Eastland.

S.R. 83 - By Glasgow: In memory of Venita Louise Lukens of Chico.

CONGRATULATORY RESOLUTIONS

S.R. 57 - By Barrientos: Paying tribute to Lynn Brown on the occasion of his retirement as administrator of the Texas State Board of Plumbing Examiners.

S.R. 59 - By Dickson: Extending congratulations to the Miles High School Agricultural Mechanics team for winning the National Championship for 1991.

S.R. 60 - By Tejeda: Recognizing Raul Jimenez, longtime San Antonio businessman and community leader, for his numerous contributions to the citizens of San Antonio.

S.R. 61 - By Tejeda: Commending Ramiro "Ray" Martinez for his 31 years of outstanding service in the field of law enforcement.

S.R. 66 - By Glasgow: Recognizing Bree Worthington, the 12-year-old trick and fancy rider, of Weatherford.

S.R. 76 - By Glasgow: Extending congratulations to Northwest High School for winning the State Championship in the small school division for its 1991 yearbook, the Nor'wester.

S.R. 82 - By Glasgow: Commending Bill Jowell of Cleburne for his invaluable services to the people of his community.

S.R. 84 - By Barrientos: Extending congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Arnulfo Flores of Austin on the occasion of their 36th wedding anniversary.

S.R. 86 - By Henderson: Encouraging the Goodyear Tire Company to reconsider their decision and keep the Goodyear Airship in Spring.

S.R. 87 - By Johnson: Recognizing February 6, 1992, as National Girls and Women in Sports Day.

S.R. 89 - By Turner: Extending congratulations to the A&M Consolidated High School Tigers for winning the Class 4A state football championship title.

S.R. 90 - By Green, Brooks: Commending Dr. Ben Beard of Harris County for his tireless efforts on behalf of health care concerns and his invaluable work on workers' compensation legislation.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Senator Carriker, the Senate at 3:05 p.m. adjourned until 3:15 p.m. today.

FIFTH DAY

(Wednesday, January 8, 1992)

The Senate met at 3:15 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present: Armbrister, Barrientos, Bivins, Brooks, Brown, Carriker, Dickson, Ellis, Green, Haley, Harris of Tarrant, Harris of Dallas, Henderson, Johnson, Krier, Leedom, Lucio, Lyon, Moncrief, Montford, Parker, Ratliff, Rosson, Sibley, Sims, Tejeda, Truan, Turner, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

Absent-excused: Glasgow.

A quorum was announced present.

Senate Doorkeeper Jim Morris offered the invocation as follows:

Almighty Father, as this special session draws to a close, we offer our thanks again for those who have worked and have now completed the task for which they were called. We are grateful for those who have contributed their individual skills and knowledge in shaping law.

As the Members look toward home, give safe passage we pray. May each Member continue to be diligent and faithful in their work and grant that strength and understanding may come out of conflict. Amen.

On motion of Senator Brooks and by unanimous consent, the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was dispensed with and the Journal was approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Senator Glasgow was granted leave of absence for today on account of illness on motion of Senator Brooks.

HOUSE BILL 1 ON THIRD READING

The President laid before the Senate on its third reading and final passage:

H.B. 1, Relating to apportionment of the state into state representative districts.

The bill was read third time and was finally passed by the following vote: Yeas 19, Nays 11.

Yeas: Barrientos, Brooks, Carriker, Dickson, Ellis, Green, Haley, Johnson, Lucio, Lyon, Moncrief, Montford, Parker, Rosson, Tejeda, Truan, Turner, Whitmire, Zaffirini.